Form 138 (version 2) SCR Part 78 rule 55 (SCR Form 111)

# **NOTICE TO APPLY FOR PROBATE**

# **COURT DETAILS**

Court Supreme Court of New South Wales

Division Equity
List Probate
Registry Sydney

Case number NOT APPLICABLE

**TITLE OF PROCEEDINGS** 

The estate of [name of deceased]

Late of:

# **PREPARED BY DETAILS**

Prepared by [name/s]

#Legal representative [solicitor on record] [firm]

#Legal representative reference [reference number]

Contact name and telephone [name] [telephone]

Contact email [email address]

To: (Name) (Address)

- 1. (name of deceased) late of (place) died at (place) on (date).
- 2. (Name of person issuing notice) believes that the deceased died leaving a will, a copy of which is annexed and marked "A". You are (or are one of) the executor(s) appointed by the will.
- 3 (Name of person issuing notice) is a beneficiary under the will (*or where applicable* (state relationship to the deceased) or a creditor of the deceased).

This notice requires you to apply for probate of the will of the deceased. If you wish to comply with this notice you must—

- Within 14 days after service on you of this notice (or if this notice is served on you outside New South Wales within 28 days after service of it on you) file in the registry of the Supreme Court of New South Wales an answer stating that you intend to apply to the Court for a grant to you of probate of the will of the deceased; and
- 2. With reasonable promptness commence proceedings in this Court for a grant to you of probate of the will of the deceased and pursue those proceedings diligently.

If you do not comply with this notice your right as an executor to represent the deceased and administer the deceased's estate shall wholly cease. The Court may make a grant in relation to the estate of the deceased without further notice to you in your absence.

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#### **SIGNATURE**

#Signature of legal representative

#Signature of or on behalf of person issuing notice if not legally represented

Capacity

[eg person issuing notice, solicitor on record, contact solicitor]

Date of signature

#### FURTHER DETAILS ABOUT THE PERSON SERVING THIS NOTICE

Name

Address #[unit/level number] #[building name]

[The filing party must give the party's [street number] [street name] [street type] address.]

> [suburb/city] [state/territory] [postcode]

> > [street name]

[state/territory]

#[building name]

[street type]

[postcode]

#[country (if not Australia)]

#[unit/level number]

[street number]

[include if the plaintiff is a registered frequent user] #Frequent user identifier

**#Contact details** 

Address for service #as above

[The filing party must give an address for service. This must be an address in NSW unless the exceptions listed in UCPR 4.5(3) apply. State "as above" if the filing party's address for service is the same as the filing party's address

[suburb/city]

stated above.]

Telephone

#Fax

Email

**#Legal representative** 

Name [name of solicitor on record]

Practising certificate number

Firm [name of firm]

[include name of contact solicitor if different to solicitor on record] #Contact solicitor

Address #[unit/level number] #[building name]

> [street number] [street name] [street type] [suburb/city] [state/territory] [postcode]

DX address Telephone

Fax

Email

Electronic service address [#email address for electronic service eq

service@emailaddress.com.au #Not applicable]